Transcript

I chose to do an apprenticeship, because I wanted to learn while I was earning and I wanted to start a job straight away.

I'm a bit of a tinkerer, I've always been trying to fix things and trying to understand how people work and also how computers work.

I've always been really interested in technology. Working at a Cyber Security apprenticeship, you're able to study towards a foundation degree in cyber security and work on meaningful projects at the same time.

The whole world is moving onto the internet. One of the reasons I joined the Civil Service, inside of Cyber Security is because you're not just working for one specific company, you are keeping a whole country's information safe.

Now that I'm a year in, I definitely feel more confident about defending against hackers.

I want to protect the nation's interests.

For a future career, it's not something that I'm going to be stuck in one place and never be able to change.

Working at the NCA gives me the opportunity to combat cybercrime, which is something that you can't really get anywhere else.

In the future, I want to be able to learn more technical skills and see my work make a difference.

I'm Maria.

I'm Carlos.

My name's Reyana and I'm Cyber Security apprentice.